Camp Hammond, Subbasement 9.
HI, I'M DANI MOONSTAR. SOME PEOPLE CALLED ME MIRAGE BACK BEFORE I LOST MY MUTANT POWERS.
DO YOU GO BY TERRANCE OR TERRY?
TRAUMA.
HEY, CODENAMES ARE FINE. I JUST WANT YOU TO KNOW, I'VE BEEN WHERE YOU ARE.
MY POWERS WERE FEAR-BASED, LIKE YOURS. AND I'M SURE IF YOU GIVE ME A SHOT...
...I COULD TEACH YOU TO USE THOSE ABILITIES IN WAYS--
WHOA! BACK OFF, POCAHONTAS.
WHO SAID ANYTHING ABOUT USING MY POWERS?
I WANNA CONTROL 'EM SO I CAN SHUT 'EM OFF!
TERRANCE, PLEASE. YOU HAVE A GIFT--
A GIFT?!
AND HOW DO YOU LIKE YOUR GIFT, DR. McCOY?
A GIFT THAT'S MADE YOU MORE BEAST THAN MAN!
A GIFT THAT'LL MAKE SURE YOU NEVER LOOK LIKE THIS AGAIN!
CUT IT OUT!
WHAT'S THE MATTER, "TEACH"? I THOUGHT YOU KNEW WHERE I WAS COMIN' FROM?
WELL, I KNOW YOU...

"THAT'S RIGHT, LADIES. WE'RE GONNA TEACH YOU HOW TO SAVE LIVES...
NOW FIFTEEN QUICK COMPRESSIONS. FIRM, BUT NO SUPER-STRENGTH THIS TIME.
"...AND HOW TO TAKE LIVES!
BOZE MOI! CLOUD 9 YOUR BREATHING IS ALL WRONG. WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO YOU?
DANGER
AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY
"AND HOW TO DO IT OVER LAND, SEA, AND AIR!"
ALWAYS KEEP THE VICTIM'S NOSE AND MOUTH ABOVE THE WATER.
CADETS, LET ME INTRODUCE YOU TO TODAY'S GUEST INSTRUCTOR, COMMANDER BENJAMIN J. GRIMM!
HE'S HERE TO HELP US WORK ON TACTICS FOR TAKING DOWN CLASS 100 THREATS.
TRUST ME, YOU'LL BE FEELING THIS TOMORROW. BUT IF YOU EVER FIND YOURSELF UP AGAINST THE ABOMINATION...
...YOU'LL BE GLAD WE COVERED THIS IN BASIC, BEN?
ANY TIME, ROOKIES...
...SHOW ME WHATCHA GOT!

HERMAN SCHULTZ: THE SHOCKER
FRED MYERS: BOOMERANG
MORRIS BENCH: HYDRO-MAN
AND PETER PARKER: SPIDER-MAN
LOCATION: THE ROOFTOP OF BAILEY'S AUCTION HOUSE.
GUYS, GUYS, GUYS, YOU'RE REALLY LETTING ME DOWN HERE!
WHAT? NO BEETLE? NO RHINO? NO SPEED DEMON?
I'M USED TO TAKING ON ALL OF THE SINISTER SYNDICATE.
HEY, WE DON'T NEED THOSE OTHER LOSERS!
YEAH, WE'RE MORE THAN ENOUGH TO TAKE YOU OUT!
PLEASE. CAN'T YOU THINK OF ME FOR ONCE? "SPIDEY CAPTURES LAME HALF OF THE SINISTER SYNDICATE."
HOW'S THAT GOING TO LOOK IN TOMORROW'S DAILY BUGLE? PEOPLE WILL THINK THAT I'M SLIPPING.
COCKY LITTLE *$%@!
TRANSMITTING DATA.
THIS IS RED TEAM ONE REPORTING IN. AWAITING NEW ORDERS.
SHOULD I ENGAGE?

I REPEAT, SHOULD I ENGAGE?
NO. ANY AGGRESSIVE ACTION COULD TRIGGER PARKER'S SPIDER-SENSE.
STAY WHERE YOU ARE. WE'RE ON THE WAY.
THIS IS WHISKEY MIKE TO STEALTH PATROL. CONVERGE ON RED TEAM ONE'S POSITION.
ONE OF OUR MEN'S SPOTTED HIM. WE'VE GOT A POSITIVE I.D. LET'S MOVE, KID!
COMMANDER RHODES? I'M A LITTLE NERVOUS BACK HERE.
WE'RE BOTH PACKING A LOT OF THIS INHIBITOR AMMO...
AND?
WELL, WHAT IF THERE'S FRIENDLY FIRE? OR I SHOOT MYSELF IN THE FOOT? I MEAN, WILL I...
NO. ALL THE NANOBOTS ARE DNA-CODED. SPECIALLY DESIGNED FOR ONE TARGET...
...AND ONE TARGET ONLY.
WOW. TALK ABOUT A BULLET WITH YOUR NAME ON IT.
RIGHT. AND THE ONLY WAY YOU GET YOUR NAME ON THAT LIST...

"...IS IF YOU REALLY SCREW UP."
MAN, WHAT IS WRONG WITH THIS TOWN? IT'S, LIKE, SO DEAD.
OH YEAH. RIGHT.
Stamford, Connecticut.
PUBMASTER
ANYWAY, THIS LOOKS LIKE AS GOOD A PLACE AS ANY.
THIS IS WHERE ALL THE HARD WORK STARTS TO PAY OFF. FAME. RECOGNITION. FREE CRAP.
FACE IT, EVERYONE'S GONNA WANT A PIECE OF ME.
HOLY *@#$. IS THAT SPEEDBALL?
WHAT?! NO WAY. I'M HARDBALL! FROM THE INITIATIVE. THE GUY WHO MAKES HARD ENERGY BALLS?
D'YOU SEE ME ON TV? I TOTALLY HELPED SAVE THE PRESIDENT!
BUY ME A BEER, I'LL TELL YOU ALL ABOUT IT.
THERE AIN'T A PERSON IN HERE WHO DIDN'T LOSE SOMEONE BECAUSE OF GRANDSTANDING FREAKS LIKE YOU!
YOU SHOULD ALL #*$%ING DIE!
EVERYBODY CALM DOWN.
GET THE *#%@ OUTTA HERE! YOU %$#@ING "SUPER HERO."
HAVEN'T YOU DUMB KIDS DONE ENOUGH TO US?!

HE'S JUST GOING TO SIT IN THE CORNER...
...HAVE A QUICK DRINK, AND THEN HE'LL BE ON HIS WAY.
ISN'T THAT RIGHT, HARDBALL?
UH... YEAH.
THANKS FOR THE SAVE BACK THERE.
NO PROBLEM.
CAN YOU SET US UP WITH TWO BEERS? AND MAKE ONE NON-ALCOHOLIC.
MY FRIEND HERE DOESN'T TURN TWENTY-ONE FOR ANOTHER TWO WEEKS.
HEY, HOW'D YOU KNOW THAT?
OH, I KNOW A GREAT DEAL ABOUT YOU... ...ROGER.
HOW THE HELL--
UH-UH. USE YOUR INDOOR VOICE, PLEASE.
WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM ME? WHO ARE YOU?
ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW, ROGER, IS THAT I KNOW HOW YOU GOT YOUR POWERS.
AND AS FOR WHAT I WANT...
...IT'S SOMETHING THAT YOU ARE GOING TO GET FOR ME. TELL ME...
WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT S.P.I.N. TECH?

APPROACHING TARGET. I'M BRINGING OUR S.P.I.N. TECH ONLINE.
WEAPONS ARE HOT, AND ALL ROUNDS ARE LIVE. DO YOU COPY?
DON'T WORRY, SIR. I'LL MAKE EVERY SHOT COUNT.
Manhattan
YOU'D BETTER. EACH DART PRICES OUT AT HALF A MILLION DOLLARS.
WHAT?!
ATTENTION, SUPERHUMAN OFFENDERS! YOU ARE ALL UNDER ARREST! STAY WHERE YOU ARE!
THEY'RE RABBITING!
INIT 002
OPEN FIRE!
PAK
PAK
PAK
PAK
HEY! WATCH WHERE YOU'RE POINTING THOSE THINGS!
I'M ONE OF THE GOOD GUYS, REMEMBER?!

SMAK
LET ME TELL YOU, YOU INITIATIVE GUYS, YOU'RE REAL PIECES OF WORK!
SEE YOU AROUND, WAR MACHINE!
DO ME A FAVOR. NEXT TIME YOU SEE YOUR "BOSS" TONY STARK, TELL HIM HE CAN BITE ME.
HARD!
DAMN IT. RED TEAM, SOUND OFF. SCARLET SPIDERS, DO YOU COPY?
TELL ME WE'VE AT LEAST CAPTURED THE SINISTER SYNDICATE.
AFFIRMATIVE. THEY'RE ON THEIR WAY TO PRISON 42.
WELL, THAT'S SOMETHING, AT LEAST.
KOMODO?
DON'T WHAT?
P-PLEASE, SIR. I'LL DO BETTER. I'LL-- JUST DON'T-- DON'T...
DON'T TURN ME BACK. THIS IS ME. THIS'S WHO I AM.
THAT OTHER GIRL. SHE'S MY SECRET--MY SECRET IDENTITY. SHE'S...
SHE'S NOBODY.
Next time:
WORLD WAR HULK!